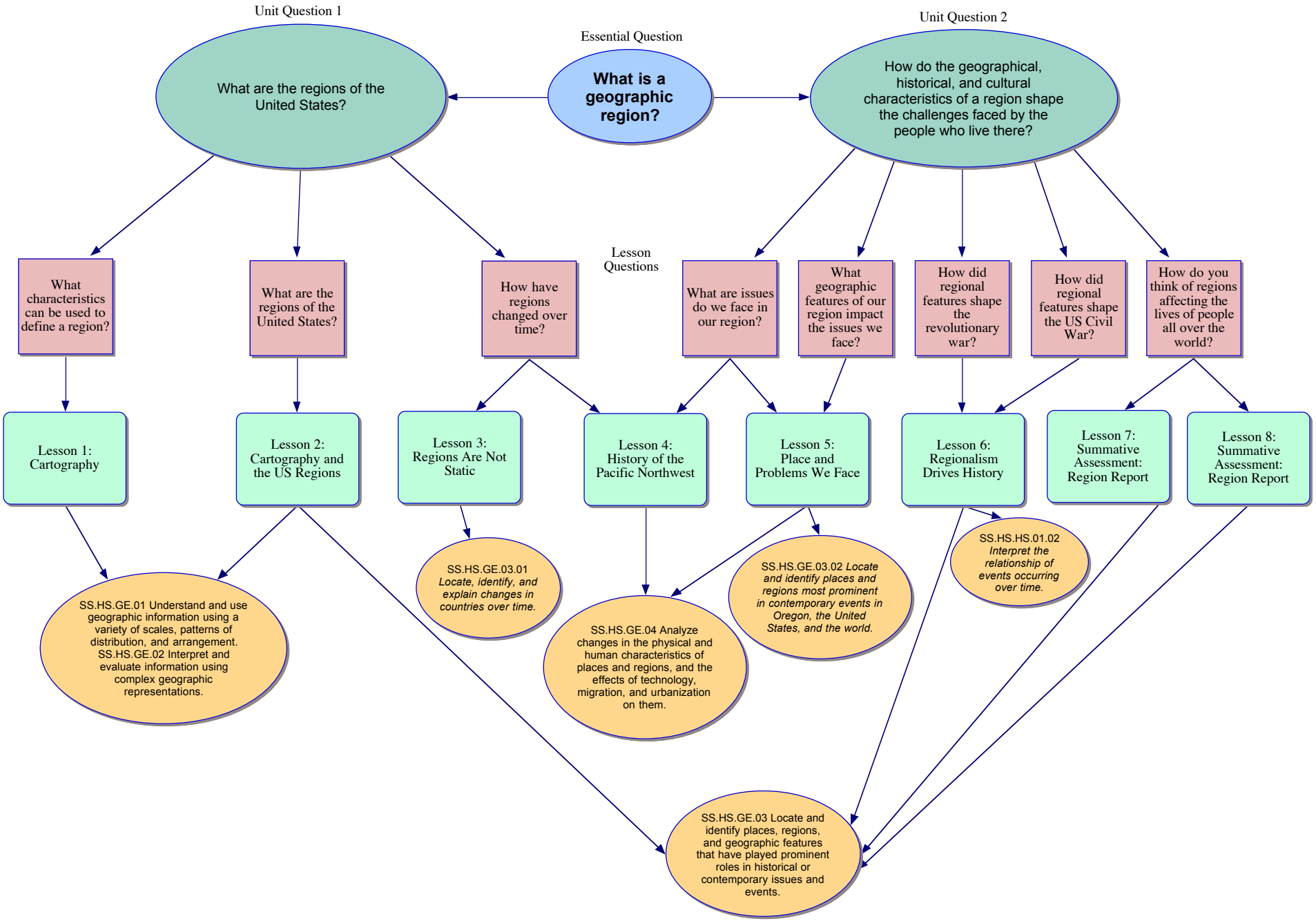
Unit Question 1
What are the regions of the United States?
Essential Question
What is a geographic region?
Unit Question 2
How do the geographical, historical, and cultural characteristics of a region shape the challenges faced by the people who live there?
Lesson Questions
What characteristics can be used to define a region?
What are the regions of the United States?
How have regions changed over time?
What are issues do we face in our region?
What geographic features of our region impact the issues we face?
How did regional features shape the revolutionary war?
How did regional features shape the US Civil War?
How do you think of regions affecting the lives of people all over the world?
Lesson 1: Cartography
Lesson 2: Cartography and the US Regions
Lesson 3: Regions Are Not Static
Lesson 4: History of the Pacific Northwest
Lesson 5: Place and Problems We Face
Lesson 6: Regionalism Drives History
Lesson 7: Summative Assessment: Region Report
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SS.HS.GE.01 Understand and use geographic information using a variety of scales, patterns of distribution, and arrangement. SS.HS.GE.02 Interpret and evaluate information using complex geographic representations.
SS.HS.GE.03.01 Locate, identify, and explain changes in countries over time.
SS.HS.GE.04 Analyze changes in the physical and human characteristics of places and regions, and the effects of technology, migration, and urbanization on them.
SS.HS.GE.03.02 Locate and identify places and regions most prominent in contemporary events in Oregon, the United States, and the world.
SS.HS.HS.01.02 Interpret the relationship of events occurring over time.
SS.HS.GE.03 Locate and identify places, regions, and geographic features that have played prominent roles in historical or contemporary issues and events.